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Students are required to bring this book to college with them and are held responsible for knowledge of its contents.

Our system of student government is highly idealistic. To make it a successful functioning organization, we must look beyond the regulations and standards set by it and attempt to understand fully the ideals which underlie it. Student government imposes self-discipline and high integrity. It is not the easiest form of government but it is one which builds character; it expresses our common faith in the inner integrity of every student. To preserve this sense of personal honor both for ourselves and for others is a sacred trust resting upon each of us.

"For ye, brethren, were called for freedom; only use not your freedom for an occasion to the flesh, but through love be servants one to another. For the whole law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

Galations 5:13-15

Major Officers for 1958-1959

Pictured left to right are: Barbara Priest, President of A.M.A.; Joy Townes, Editor of Dialette; Martha Rose Miller, President of S.C.A.; Mary Mangrum, Social Chairman; Jean Mash, Editor of the Sundial. Seated: Mary Sullivan, President of S.G.A.

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THE COLLEGE CALENDAR

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Sept. 5—Friday	Faculty Meeting, 8:00 p.m.
Sept. 6-8	Faculty Workshop.
Sept. 8—Monday	Dormitories open to Freshmen and Transfer students; Freshman orientation begins, 1:30 p.m.
Sept. 11—Thursday	Registration of Freshmen and Transfer Students.
Sept. 12—Friday	Registration of Upperclassmen.
Sept. 13—Saturday	Classes Begin, 8:15 a.m.
Sept. 13—Saturday	Opening Chapel Exercises, 10:00 a.m.
Oct. 30—Thursday	Long Week End.
Nov. 4—Tuesday	Classes Resume, 8:15 a.m.
Dec. 20—Saturday	Christmas Holidays Begin, 12:30 p.m.

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Jan. 5—Monday	Classes Resume, 8:15 a.m.
Jan. 19-24	First Semester Examinations.
Jan. 26—Monday	Registration for Second Semester.
Jan. 27—Tuesday	Second Semester Classes Begin, 8:15 a.m.
March 26—Thursday	Easter Holidays Begin, 12:30 p.m.
March 31—Tuesday	Classes Resume, 8:15 a.m.
May 24—Sunday	Baccalaureate Service, 11:00 a.m.
May 25—Monday	Graduation Exercises, 10:00 a.m.

SCHEDULE OF STUDENT MEETINGS

MONDAY

1st Monday:	7:00-7:30	Hall Courts
	7:30-8:00	Cabinet
2nd Monday:	7:00-7:30	Hall Courts
	7:30-8:00	A.M.A.
3rd Monday:	7:00-7:30	Hall Courts
	7:30-8:00	Cabinet
4th Monday:	7:00-7:30	Hall Courts

TUESDAY

2nd Tuesday:	7:00-8:00	Staff (Sun Dial and Dialette)
	10:00-10:30	Student prayer groups in the dormitories every Tuesday night.

WEDNESDAY 7:15-8:00 Prayer meeting.

THURSDAY 7:15-8:00 Choir Practice
10:00-10:30 Student prayer groups in the dormitories every Thursday night.

FRIDAY

1st Friday:	7:00-8:00	Thalians
2nd Friday:	7:00-8:00	Business Club
		French Club
		Spanish Club
3rd Friday:	7:00-8:00	C.C.U.N.
		Music
4th Friday:	7:00-8:00	F.T.A.
		Kappa Pi Beta
		Red Cross

SUNDAY

9:45-10:45	Sunday School
11:00-12:00	Morning Worship
7:15-8:00	Vespers
8:00-	Life Service, Hymn Sing

"College life is not a passageway from one phase of life to another—it is four years of life itself." Nor is college life found primarily in the classroom and textbook, although they are a vital part . . . The deeper, fuller life you create for yourself. You will create it as you participate in school activities; as you contribute your abilities and skills to the task at hand; and as you accept the responsibility and challenge of student government.

Now, as in every phase of life, you determine your own growth—or lack of it. Montreat offers you many opportunities to grow. It emphasizes the building of the mind, body and spirit and would have you claim these blessings as your own.

Colleges have personalities just as people do. You will become a part of this personality and it will become a part of you. You give it your best and you will receive a double portion. You can and will find what you are looking for, whether you have been inspired to lofty goals and filled with intellectual curiosity, or simply challenged to waste four years of life.

You will bring to us new ideas, new talents, and new zeal. In return Montreat offers you the OPEN BOOK, as seen on our seal. Each student finds and writes in this book what he will. And, as you fill this book with your college experiences, Montreat would have you write each page with STRENGTH, BEAUTY, and TRUTH.

These are our goals, yet they are more than goals. They are realities . . . realities in the lives of all students who will practice them. "Esse quam videri—to be rather than to seem." Be honest with yourself. Strength, beauty, and truth are both a cause and a result of "being rather than seeming".

Practice the message of the seal and you will find that life takes on a deeper and fuller meaning. YOU are the one to make your memories of these days vivid and pleasant.

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN OF STUDENTS, 1958

As the year opens and we look forward to its opportunities, there are certain facts not new but vital and ever in need of our considering afresh.

God has a plan for every Christian's life. It is possible for that plan to unfold gradually before young people in a Christian atmosphere.

Our challenge is for students and faculty alike to make Montreat College a working, practical, Christian community that produces such an atmosphere.

Student Government with its responsibility for large areas of student life can help, but it can be successful only as each individual student feels personal responsibility in the light of the goal just mentioned.

As we all work together in our times of study, worship, and play, God can and will produce results and this will be a good year, stimulating, satisfying, and exciting.

Looking forward to seeing you in September, I am

Sincerely,

ELIZABETH WILSON
Dean of Students

HERE'S WHAT WE DO!

To you who have been anticipating college days, we know you must have endless numbers of questions haunting you day after day. Maybe the following information will enlighten you on some of the conveniences that are really life savers, and also tell you of special activities that add spice to our college life.

Dormitory Cooking: Maybe it's a cold winter night and you're craving some hot soup, popcorn, or fudge. Just sign up on the pad that is provided in the kitchen and you are set for happy eating. Let's remember to leave it tidy.

Those Soiled and Wrinkled Clothes: A washer and a dryer are provided for doing your heavy laundry. Ironing rooms are conveniently located in the dorms. Dry cleaning may be sent to Black Mountain.

Student Bank: For you people of great means, and others of you of no great means, the student bank offers a safe place for your money. It is open every week day at scheduled times and you may deposit or withdraw as you wish.

The Bookstore: The Bookstore is located in the Student Lounge at McAlister Hall. It is under student management and is open at designated times during the day and night. The store has all textbooks, school supplies, snacks and some personal supplies you might need. All articles must be paid for at the time of purchase.

A. C. T.: The Asheville Community Theatre presents six excellent plays during the season. Students may purchase season tickets at the opening of school.

Civic Music Concerts and Others: Civic Music Concerts offer a variety of delightful programs which are attended by a large number of students. Season tickets may be obtained during first semes-

ter. Also in Asheville you may wish to hear various college choruses and local groups.

That Special Date: The date rooms and lobbies located in each dorm, are very attractive and especially designated for the purpose of entertaining dates. It is wonderful to pop corn and roast marshmallows around the roaring fire on a winter's night. We would insert the recommendation, however, that you use caution in running through the lobby in your "nighties", because every now and then you might embarrass someone's date, not to mention yourself.

Sunday Activities: Our Sundays begin with Sunday School and Church in the morning. Reading, listening to the radio, letter writing, short walks, and visiting with friends in the community are some of the things we do on Sunday afternoons. The meeting of the Life Service Group and hymn sings are held on alternating Sunday nights following vespers. The Church Choir sings twice a month for the worship services at Moore General Hospital, and through the S.C.A., students visit Western Carolina Sanatorium every Sunday to teach the Sunday School Lesson and provide special music for their services.

Saturday Nights: Saturday nights are scheduled with concerts, plays, movies, square dances, and various other activities which are of particular interest to all students.

During the year boys from nearby colleges are invited to Montreat for special weekends of fun and fellowship, which include picnics and square dancing.

The Freshman Talent Show: The Freshman Talent Show in October is eagerly awaited by the upperclassmen. This major production is an opportunity for you Freshmen really to perform. Who knows? TV may be looking for you!!

Thanksgiving: This is our traditional Homecoming with soccer game, banquet, and a royal welcome to returning Alumnae.

Christmas: The Christmas Season is a very busy time for Montreat Students. Programs are given by various organizations. The Sophomore Class sponsors the annual Christmas party. The Choir and Chorus give a Christmas Concert. The Student Christian Association presents the Christmas pageant, and special projects are also conducted through the S.C.A. and the S.G.A. by which gifts are made to needy families of the community. One of the enjoyable things during the Christmas season is the tradition of "angels and mortals." Each girl is an "angel" and does secret good deeds for her "mortal".

The February Favorites Costume Party: Each year in honor of all the national heroes born during February, the S.G.A. sponsors an annual costume party. This is a gala occasion and one to which everyone looks forward.

Spring Activities: The Coming of Spring brings to Montreat several special occasions: The tour of the Montreat College Singers, the Thalian play, the Easter program, and one of the major events of the year, the May Day Pageant and the crowning of the May Queen. Many prospective students visit the campus during May Day Weekend.

Commencement: The busy Commencement season is the time for the concert of the Montreat College Singers. Various awards are given to those who have been outstanding academically. Commencement Saturday includes the Alumnae Luncheon honoring the graduates and past graduates who have returned. The season is climaxed by our Graduation, the loveliest and most impressive ceremony of the school year. Women students wear white dresses or suits, and men students wear dark suits to participate in the processional and recessional.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Cabinet 1958-59

Officers:

President of S.G.A. ..... Mary Helen Sullivan
Vice-President of S.G.A. ..... Mabel Wicker
Secretary of S.G.A. ..... J. Lou Dedrick

House Presidents

College Hall ..... Ruth White
Howerton Hall ..... Charlotte Osborne

Assistant House Presidents

College Hall ..... Nancy Gosnell
Ida Morris
Carolyn Oates

Howerton Hall ..... Frances Arrington
Phyllis Berrong
Marcy Mangrum
Mary Glenn Poarch

Class Presidents:

Senior ..... Jo Thomas
Junior ..... Lois Keys
Sophomore ..... Jo Dean Faddis
Freshman ..... To be elected
President of S.C.A. ..... Martha Rose Miller
President of A.M.A. ..... Barbara Priest

Staff of Student Publications

Editor of Dialette ..... Joy Townes
Editor of Sun Dial ..... Jean Mash

Social Chairman ..... Mary Mangrum

Hi there . . .

What a joy it is to welcome you to Montreat and to have this opportunity to tell you of some of its "great expectations". Great expectations OF YOU and FOR YOU. You see, it is a dual service (Perhaps I should have said dual blessing).

First, let me remind you that this is a big step in your life. No one stands still on steps . . . Steps go up OR down. As you meet each new adjustment, each problem and each challenge you will find yourself climbing, climbing to higher heights of responsibility and maturity.

I am sure you have your own special expectations as you enter Montreat. Let me challenge you with the same words with which our Lord challenged Peter . . . "Launch out into the deep . . . ". Go out into the deep waters of self-forgetfulness where you can lose sight of self and catch the joys of service and love. This is where you will find those "Great Expectations".

Again, I welcome you to Montreat and into the Student Government Association. May God bless us as we work together this year.

Sincerely,

MARY SULLIVAN, President
Student Government Association

CONSTITUTION

OF THE
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
OF MONTREAT COLLEGE

Article I **Name and Membership**

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the Student Government Association of Montreat College.

Section 2. The membership of S.G.A. shall consist of every student in Montreat College.

Article II **Government, Purpose, and Participation**

Section 1. Government: This organization shall have its government based on the principles of our Christian faith as they find expression in everyday living. Christian practice requires truthfulness and honesty in personal life, social rules and academic work.

Section 2. Purpose: It is the objective of our student government to help each student discover a working faith in her personal life and to contribute to the development of others.

Section 3. Participation: Each member of the student body shall consider the sustaining of our standards a matter of personal honor and responsibility.

Article III **Pattern for Group Living**

Section 1. Honor Code: Students are placed on their honor

1. To tell the truth at all times.
2. To have scrupulous regard for property rights of others.
3. To be entirely honest in every phase of academic work.

Section 2. Code for Group Living:
Freedom from oppressive rules depends on the individual's and the

group's acceptance of responsibility for the rights of the individual. The code for group living demands that the group observe the following fundamental rights of the individual:

1. Right for sufficient rest.
2. Right to study in relative privacy and quiet.
3. Right to have property respected by all other members of the group. (The school also has this right.)

The successful upholding of the code assumes an active acceptance of the principle that we are our brother's keeper and demands that every individual accept as a Christian responsibility the maintenance and preservation of every other person's rights.

Section 3. Code for Social Behavior:

Our goal is genuine Christian social behavior, which is based on individual integrity, honor, and self-control and demands graciousness, consideration, and adaptability to other people.

Article IV — Honor Pledge

At a specified meeting of the Student Government Association each member shall take the following pledge:

I pledge with God's help to tell the truth at all times, to have careful regard for property rights of others, and to be entirely honest in every phase of academic work. Recognizing the need for the support of the Code for Group Living and the code for Social Behavior by each student, I here state my acceptance of the principles expressed in these codes and pledge to attempt to live so as to make them meaningful to the student body.

Article V **Organization and Administration**

Section 1. The executive officers of the Student Government Association shall consist of the following: President, Vice-President, Secretary, and House Presidents.

Section 2. The composition of the Honor Court shall be as follows:

(a) The executive officers of the S.G.A.

(b) Five non-cabinet members on the approved list chosen for each case by the Cabinet and not rejected for good reason by the student or students appearing before the honor court, four of these five to be chosen one from each class and the fifth one from the class of the student appearing before the court. (Where more than one student is appearing, the fifth member will be chosen from the class of one of the students involved.)

Section 3. The Cabinet is composed of the Executive Officers of the Student Government, and officers of the major organizations as follows: President of the Student Christian Association, President of the Athletic Association. Editor of the Sun Dial, Editor of the Dialette, Social Chairman, the four class presidents, and the Assistant House Presidents of each dormitory.

Section 4. Hall Courts are composed of a house officer and all students living in a specified area.

Article VI **Function**

Section 1. The function of the Honor Court shall be to investigate, hear and try cases involving violation of the

Honor Code and any other cases deemed necessary by Cabinet.

Section 2. The Cabinet of the S.G.A. as the highest representation of the student body shall have as its basic function the carrying out of the will of the students in every possible way. The duties of the Cabinet shall be to formulate and put into operation the standards of campus living, to consider ways of improving conditions, and to invite suggestions from individual students or groups and take whatever action seems wise concerning such suggestions. The Cabinet will serve as the coordinating body between the students and the faculty and/or administration. Any Hall Court shall be free to ask the aid of Cabinet in cases which the Hall Court feels incompetent to solve. Through the Social Chairman the Cabinet will have responsibility for support of the social activities program of the College. The Cabinet shall publish the Student Handbook each year, issue the approved list every six weeks, and select the non-Cabinet members to serve on the Honor Court whenever it meets.

Section 3. The function of the Hall Courts shall be to determine by democratic procedure the solving of problems arising in group living. Each Hall Court is presided over by the House President or the Assistant House President in a particular area. The Hall Courts shall meet once a week.

Section 4. The Hall Court Chairmen as a group shall meet at specific times to integrate interests of the Hall Courts, assign penalties in certain areas, and

set up uniformity in Hall Court actions.

Article VII **Qualifications of Officers**

Section 1. Each member of the Cabinet of S. G. A. is obligated to uphold the standards of Montreat College; to attain to high ideals in her personal life; to have a record of scholastic ability; and to be active in the promotion of the school spirit.

Section 2. The President of the S.G.A. at the time of her election must be a member of the rising Senior class and must have served on Cabinet previous to the time of her election. She must have, in her first semester of the year elected, an average of 2.0.

Section 3. The Vice-President of the S.G.A. must be a member of the rising Senior class and must have, in her first semester of the year elected, an averge of 2.0.

Section 4. The Social Chairman must be a member of the rising Junior or Senior class and must have, in the first semester of the year elected, an average of 2.0.

Section. 5. The House Presidents must be members of the rising Junior or Senior class and must have, in the first semester of the year elected, an average of 2.0.

Section 6. An exception may be made as to the 2.0 average required of the President, Vice-President, Social Chairand, and House President when deemed advisable by Cabinet.

Section 7. The Secretary-Treasurer and Assistant House Presidents may have a 1.5 average.

Article VIII Duties and Terms of Office

Section 1. The President of the S. G. A. shall preside over all meetings of the Cabinet, of the S. G. A., and of the Honor Court. She shall be the official representative of the S. G. A. whenever necessary. She shall conduct elections and may call meetings of the Cabinet or the student body at any time.

Section 2. The Vice-President of the S. G. A. shall perform all the duties of the President in case of her inability to act. She shall have charge of the Freshman Orientation and shall serve as acting President of the Freshman class until the President is elected.

Section 3. The Social Chairman shall organize and lead various social activities of the student body and shall be responsible for the Fall Reception, the Fall S.G.A. party, the Winter S.G.A. party, and boys' weekends.

Section 4. The Secretary-Treasurer shall carry on all correspondence of the S.G.A. and administer all Cabinet Funds. She shall keep a record of all proceedings of the S.G.A., of the Cabinet. of the Honor Court and shall notify recipients of penalties.

Section 5. The House President shall preside over all house meetings, and may call house meetings when it is necessary. She shall be the coordinating officer of the Assistant House Presidents within her dormitory. She shall preside over the Hall Court in her living area, and keep the record of penalties given by Hall Courts, of all students in her dormitory.

Section 6. The Assistant House President shall preside over her respective Hall Court. She shall periodically submit to the House President a record of penalties given by her Hall Court.

Section 7. Term of Office: All officers shall serve for a period of one calendar year beginning in April. The President of the S.G.A., shall remain an ex-officio member of Cabinet from the time of the installation of her successor until the end of the school year.

The Senior Class President shall remain in Cabinet as official representative of the Senior class until the end of the school year.

Article IX **Elections and Installation**

Section 1. At the close of the first semester, the point averages of all students shall be submitted to Cabinet.

Section 2. At a designated meeting early in the second semester, Cabinet shall approve and nominate from the list of eligible students those whom they feel to have the qualifications necessary for the respective offices of President, Vice-President, Social Chairman, House Presidents, and Assistant House Presidents.

Section 3. All nominations made by Cabinet shall be presented to the student body for election, with the exception of the secretary, who shall be elected by the outgoing Cabinet.

Section 4. Order of Elections: Immediately following the election of the President of S. G. A., the order of all other elections shall be decided upon by the executive heads of the major campus organizations, with the approval of Cabinet.

Section 5. All elections shall be by secret ballot and a majority of votes shall be required for each officer elected.

Section 6. At an installation service each new member and each re-elected member of the Cabinet of the S. G. A. shall take the following pledge:

> Trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ, I pledge myself, as (office), to uphold the Constitution of the Student Government Association, to lend full support to the maintaining of high ideals in self-government, to discharge to the best of my ability those duties assigned to my office, and to uphold and promote the true spirit of Montreat in every phase of campus life.

Article X **Day Students**

Section 1. All day students while on campus are requested to attend Chapel, Student Body meetings and other college functions unless special permission has been granted. All day students are expected to uphold the Honor Code.

Article XI **Meetings**

Section 1. Monday chapel period is reserved for meetings of the S.G.A. or other organizations approved by the President of S.G.A.

Section 2. All students shall attend the meetings of the S.G.A.

Article XII **Advisors**

Section 1. The Dean of Students shall act as the advisor to the Cabinet of the S.G.A.

Article XIII **Amendments**

Section 1. The Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the

S.G.A. The proposed amendment shall have been approved by a majority vote of Cabinet and discussed in each Hall Court at least one week before the amendment is voted upon at a student body meeting.

POINT SYSTEM FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

No student may hold office amounting to more than thirty points.

30 Points
President of S.G.A.
Vice-President of S.G.A.
House President
Class President
President of S.C.A.
Vice-President of S.C.A.
President of A.M.A.
Editor of Sun Dial
Editor of Dialette
Social Chairman

20 Points
Secretary of S.G.A.
Treasurer of S.C.A.
Treasurer of A.M.A.

15 Points
Assistant House President
Group Leader of S.C.A.
President of Life Service Group
Vice-President of A.M.A.
Secretary of A.M.A.
Team Representative
Head Cheer Leader
Assistant Editor of Sun Dial or Dialette
Business Manager of Sun Dial or Dialette
Advertising Manager of Sun Dial or Dialette

10 Points
Secretary of S.C.A.
Heads of Sports
Minor Clubs — Presidents
Other Staff Members of Sun Dial

5 Points
Class Officers other than President
Team Cheer Leaders

GENERAL COLLEGE REGULATIONS

I. Freshmen Orientation

This is a six weeks period designed to allow new students to become adjusted to college life and campus activities. During this period, freshmen are counseled in order to discover their particular interests. Special classes and discussions are held concerning proper methods of study, proper use of the library, the choice of electives, and how to fit into the overall program of the college.

At this time new students are familiarized with the Handbook, and after the Orientation Period, a test is given on its contents.

The Orientation Period is for transfer students as well as freshmen.

1. When leaving the campus during Orientation Period, a freshman or transfer student shall be accompanied by an upper-classman on the Approved List.
2. In order that new students may become well established in their college work, no weekend permissons will be granted during this time.
3. Cabinet reserves the right to give special permission during the six weeks Orientation Period to those who have worked in Montreat in the summer and have earned such permission.

The Orientation class for freshmen (Education 101) will continue one period a week during the entire first semester.

II. Approved List

Students who remain in good standing and who show good Christian citizenship in college living are free to enjoy all regular privileges and are under no restrictions. These students make up the Approved List which is determined by Cabinet on the following basis:

1. Attitude toward college standards and ideals.
2. Personal conduct on and off the campus.
3. Acceptance and support of the Honor Code.

The Approved List is posted every six weeks. A student who does not merit being on the Approved List may not leave the campus unless she is accompanied by a Cabinet member. When a student is suspended from the Approved List, Cabinet determines the length of time of such suspension.

The penalty of a Campus automatically includes suspension from the Approved List. The length of time of this suspension is the time of the Campus doubled.

III. Campus Boundaries

1. Becaues of the extensive acreage of Montreat it is necessary to set campus boundaries.

2. Daylight boundaries include college buildings, Graybeard picnic grounds, roads to and from homes of faculty, administration, staff and other Montreat residents. For walks beyond residential section, see HIKING.

3. The night boundaries include the Music Building, College Hall, Infirmary, Gaither, Howerton Hall, the gymnasium, skating rink. Webbwood, Assembly Inn and Anderson. To exceed night boundaries in order to visit Montreat residents, students shall walk in pairs. No one may walk to or from Black Mountain after dark.

IV. Leaving The Campus

1. Freshmen on the Approved List may go in pairs during the day to Black Mountain or Asheville after the Orientation Period. They are expected to be on campus by 7:45.

2. After the Orientation Period, freshmen in groups of three and on the Approved List may go to Black Mountain or Asheville at night.

3. Upperclassmen on the Approved List may go alone to Black Mountain or Asheville during the day.

4. Two upperclassmen on the Approved List may go to Black Mountain or Asheville at night.

V. Dates

1. A student who expects to have a date shall sign in the Date Book in the Office of the Dean of

Students. When unexpected dates arrive, the student shall contact the Dean of Students or the House Mother.

2. Freshmen may date during the Orientation period when accompanied by an upperclassman on the Approved List. After Orientation Freshmen on the Approved List may double date.

3. Upperclassmen on the Approved List may single date.

4. Hiking rules also apply to dates.

5. Students on the Approved List may dance in Asheville at places acceptable and authorized by the Cabinet of S.G.A. and the Dean of Students. A list of such places will be posted by Cabinet at the beginning of the school year.

6. When students sign up for dates, they shall indicate whether or not they expect to attend places where there is dancing.

VI. Hiking

1. Unsponsored Hikes
   a. Three or more girls may constitute a group for an unsponsored hike to Lookout by the shortest route in the daytime.
   b. Six or more girls may constitute a group for other mountain hikes in daytime. During first semester, two of these girls must be upperclassmen.
   c. Night hikes must be arranged by special permission from the Director of Physical Education or from the Dean of Students.
2. Sponsored Hikes
   a. All sponsored hikes are conducted by the Athletic Association.
   b. For details, see Hiking Club.

VII. Dress

1. The impression students' appearance makes upon others is important in maintaining the sense of pride they should have in their college. Proper and attractive attire should include:
   a. Hats and hose for Church
   b. Hose for trips to Asheville

2. Students should always be neat and well-groomed for meals. (This will exclude rolled hair.)

This is of special importance, as the Assembly Inn is a public as well as a college dining room.

3. Short shorts may not be worn in Gaither Hall and the Assembly Inn.

4. Skirts and dresses shall be worn on Sunday in lobbies of dormitories, Assembly Inn, Assembly Drive, and general campus.

VIII. Curfew

1. Students must be in their dormitory at 10:45 every night except Saturday. Saturday night curfew is 11:45. Dates are to be out of the dormitory by the curfew hour or late minutes are incurred.

2. Every student who maintains a 1.0 average will be given each semester 10 special week night permissions until 11:45. These may be taken at the students' discretion. When taking a special 11:45 permission, each student is to indicate it on her sign out card in the lobby. If a student is away from the campus and has not signed up for a late permission before leaving, she should phone the dormitory and notify a house officer. Should she fail to do this her case will be considered at the meeting of the Hall Court Chairmen.

3. Freshmen and transfer students may begin taking special 11:45 permissions at the end of the first nine weeks if they have a 1.0 average. Students who have had to relinquish their special 11:45 permission for half a semester and who raise their average to 1.0 may take five permissions throughout the remainder of that semester.

4. When leaving the campus during the day and when leaving the dormitory after 7:30 p.m., each student must sign out on her sign-out card, the destination, time leaving, and expected time of return. The card must be placed in the student's box in the lobby. When returning, the student must sign in the time of her return and place her card back in the filing box.

5. Depending upon the most convenient way, students in certain dormitories may be asked to

use sign-out sheets rather than sign-out cards when leaving the dormitory after 7:30 for an on-campus destination.

6. Failure to sign in and out is also subject to penalty of one demerit upon the accumulation of three failures to sign in or out.

7. Any lateness beyond the curfew hour will be recorded by the student on her sign-out card and checked by the house officer on duty. Upon the accumulation of 10 late minutes, there will be a penalty of one demerit.

8. Students who do not have a 1.0 average will be placed on academic probation and will be required to be in the dormitory by 8:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Students on academic probation may have six week nights out a semester until 10:45 p.m. These same students having week-night dates in the dormitory are to sign up in the datebook and also notify the housemother.

IX. Dormitory

1. Students are expected to keep their rooms in order and to refrain from damaging the property.

2. Students are asked to turn out lights and turn off radios when leaving a room.

3. Lamps, radios, hair dryers, and heating pads may be used in the student's room. Electric cooking utensils may be used only in the kitchen. Irons may be used only in the ironing rooms.

4. A student may spend Saturday night and Sunday night in another room or dormitory. When doing this, the student shall sign out of her own room or dormitory in order that she may be reached in case of emergency.

5. Guests are to abide by college and dormitory regulations.

X. Study Hall

1. For the benefit of giving students a satisfactory time for study, dormitories shall be quiet beginning at 8:00 p.m. From 8:00 to 10:00 students shall not visit each other in the dormitory rooms but they are not restricted to the building. A stu-

dent lounge is available for those who have free time during study hall. Hall lights are dimmed at 10:45 and the dormitories must be reasonably quiet after that time.

2. DO NOT DISTURB signs are to be used for serious purposes only and must be placed in plain sight on a closed door.

A penalty of 3 demerits will be given for breaking study hall or a DO NOT DISTURB sign. When necessary, these signs may be broken by the President or Vice-President of S.G.A., the House President, House Mother, Assistant Dean of Students, or the Dean of Students.

XI. Lights

1. Lights out for Freshmen will be 12:00 every night except Saturday and Sunday nights, when lights will be out at 12:30.

2. Upperclassmen may have unlimited lights during the week. Lights will be out at 12:30 on Saturday and Sunday nights.

XII. Telephone

1. Due to the large number of people dependent upon a single telephone in each dormitory, students are asked not to make telephone calls between dormitories unless the calls are urgent or business calls.

2. All local calls are limited to five minutes.

3. Long distance telephone calls are to be made from the pay telephone in each dormitory.

4. Scholarship girls are appointed to answer the phone. To avoid confusion, others are requested to leave the responsibility to them.

XIII. Meetings

Because of the importance of full student participation, the difficulty of group work and planning with only partial membership present, and because of the value for students in attending certain programs, attendance will be required for the following:

1. Student body meetings
2. Chapel
3. Hall Court meetings

4. Class meetings
5. Seated Meals
6. Certain college functions which will be designated as official prior to the time they are to take place.

XIV. Infirmary

1. Clinic hours of the infirmary will be designated by the nurse. At other times, the House Mother should be notified of a student's illness. Emergency cases are exceptions and may be received at the infirmary at any time.
2. If a student is not able to attend classes, required meetings or school functions, she should report to the infirmary. Otherwise the absence can not be excused.
3. Patients may receive visitors only during visiting hours. Exceptions may be made when it is necessary for a patient to remain in the infirmary for any length of time.
4. When a student is discharged from the infirmary, she must obtain a dismissal slip.

XV. Scholarship Work

1. If a student wishes to be excused from duty for any reason other than illness:
   a She must first secure permission from the faculty or staff member in charge of the project.
   b. The stubstitue who agrees to attend to her duties during absence must be approved by supervisors.
   c If the student is leaving the campus, she must have a scholarship slip signed by the Dean of Students or an assistant of the Dean. This slip should be given to the faculty or staff member in charge of her scholarship work.
2. If a work scholarship student becomes suddenly ill and goes to the infirmary, she is to ask the infirmary authority to call the supervisor of student's work in time for the supervisor to supply a substitute for her duty.

3. All students having Self-Help Assignments or students who work extra, are to appear for work in skirts or dresses unless their supervisor permits otherwise.

XVI. Mail

1. Each student is assigned a mail box at the beginning of the year. Mail is placed in the boxes twice daily by a student assigned through the Scholarship Committee.

2. Due to Federal regulations, it is requested that students not ask for their mail ahead of time or ride with the scholarship girl to or from the Post Office.

XVII. Student Lounge

1. A Student Lounge located in the Gym, shall be open at all times except during regularly appointed religious services. The Lounge is for the enjoyment and relaxation of the students. Visitors may not enter the Lounge unless accompanied by a Montreat College student.

XVIII. Lake

The Director of Physical Education will post regulations regarding swimming. There shall be no swimming otherwise.

XIX. Permissions

For convenience, a form will be sent to the parents of each student at the beginning of her first school year. The parent must fill in this form and return it to the office of the Dean of Students before she can grant the student any but limited permission.

1. When going away for overnight or for the weekend, a student must sign out in the office of the Dean of Students. Failure to do so will result in a penalty of one demerit. The student must notify the House Mother of her return.

2. Except for weekends at home, a student must have a written invitation from her hostess and a written permission from her parents before she can sign out in the Dean's office.

3. A student must have written permission from her family to ride home with anyone other than a relative or member of her immdiate family.

4. A student who has a work scholarship must sign a slip in the Dean's office giving the name of the person who will do her work while she is away. Sign-out slips and scholarship slips must be initialed by the Dean or Assistant Dean and cannot be filled in and left on the desk.

5. When a student has proved her dependability, her parents will be sent a form granting general permission to the student and this general permission will make it unnecessary for the student to comply with No. 2 and No. 3 above.

6. In addition to Fall and Spring week-ends, permissions for off-campus week-ends will be granted on the following basis:

a Students having an all 2.0 average may take weekends at their own discretion as long as their grades remain 2.0.

b Students having a 1.0 average may take 4 weekends a semester.

c Students having below 1.0 average may take 1 weekend a semester.

7. Any over-night departure from the campus constitutes an off-campus weekend.

8. No weekend permission will be carried over from one semester to another.

9. Seniors in their second semester may have unlimited weekends.

10. Five demerits will be given for each week-end taken in excess of the number allowed each student according to his grades.

XX. Penalties

1. **Demerits**—These will be given either in the Hall Courts for violations, by Cabinet, or by the Hall Court Chairmen Group. When a student receives a total of **15** demerits, she will receive a two weeks Campus. (House Presidents shall turn in a record of all demerits given to the students in their dormitories by the Hall Courts or Hall Court Chair-

men to the Vice-President of S. G. A. and upon a student's receiving 15 demerits, the two weeks Campus becomes automatic.)

2. **Campus**—A campus requires that the student not leave the campus at any time during the specified length of time. When a student is campused she is automatically off the Approved List for a length of time double that of the Campus. Cabinet may lengthen the period for her removal from the Approved List if necessary. In addition to the automatic two weeks Campus for 15 demerits, Cabinet may give other penalties of this nature for longer or shorter periods, depending on the case.

3. **Restriction**—A Restriction requires that a student give up all honors on the campus and not participate in any campus activity except classes, meals, library, scholarship work, Chapel, and Church services. A student on restriction may not visit or receive visitors. Additional terms of the restriction may be added by Cabinet according to the individual case. A restriction may be given by the decision of either Cabinet or the Honor Court.

When a student is campused or restricted, the President of the S. G. A. will post on the dormitory bulletin boards the name of the student and the reason and duration of her penalty.

SPECIAL COLLEGE REGULATIONS

I. Regulations Regarding Social Conduct

Smoking and drinking are prohibited for all resident students during the college year, at all times except when students are at home.

Mixed ballroom dancing is prohibited at Montreat, and mixed ballroom dances will not be sponsored by the college or by organizations of the college.

II. Regulations Regarding the Keeping of Cars On Campus.

Juniors and Seniors on the Approved List may have cars if it is agreeable with their parents.

III. Regulations Regarding Church Attendance

Sunday School Attendance will be on a voluntary basis during the next school year with the hope that students will accept the responsibility to attend so that this may become a permanent regulation.

IV. Regulations Regarding Activity on Wednesday Afternoon.

There will be no regularly scheduled class or activity on Wednesday afternoon from 4:10-6:00. This period is to be used for special meetings or activities which are to be cleared through the official college Social Calendar.

V. Faculty Regulations Regarding Absence From Classes

Regular class attendance is regarded as essential. The experience of the college has shown that absences tend to lower the standard of work maintained by the student. The student is expected to make up all work missed because of absences.

1. Every class absence will be recorded by the instructor as an **F.**

2. Under certain limitations, the student may obtain from the Registrar's Office permission to do make-up work which will remove the **F.** This make-up work may be done at the convenience of the instructor. Permission to do this work will be issued by the Registrar upon receipt of a slip from one of the following persons:

School Nurse—Boarding students and Day students must obtain a slip from the School Nurse for any absence because of illness.

Dean of Students—All excuse slips for personal reasons, such as, a death in the family, illness at home, a wedding in the family, must be obtained from the Dean of Students.

Dean of Faculty—All excuse slips for attending conferences, going on Chorus Tour, taking special class trips, etc., must be obtained from the Dean of the Faculty.

In order to make up work that has been missed, permission slips must be shown to the instructors within one week after the absences occur.

3. If a student has more than five unremoved **F's** at the end of a semester, the grade for the course will be **F.** If a student has more than seven absences, whether excused or unexcused, from a class which meets twice a week, or more than ten absences in a class which meets three or more times a week, the grade for the course will be **F.**

4. A student who is on the Dean's List is exempt from regulations governing class attendance except those pertaining to the maximum of ten absences in a class which meets three or four times a week and seven absences in a class which meets twice a week. This exemption does not include absence from laboratory, quizzes, and examinations.

VI. Miscellaneous

1. Seniors who have a **B** average at the end of their first semester are not required to take an examination for each subject in which they have made an **A** average the second semester.

2. The school year is not considered complete until after the Commencement Exercises.

3. Students marrying without permission of the college during the school year may be asked to withdraw from school.

NEW NEWS

Sunday School—Considering your request, the Administration has stated that Sunday School attendance is now on a VOLUNTARY basis. This is a vote of trust—Let us not take it lightly.

Election Week—The annual election of officers shall be held the second week in March. By having a **week of elections** we feel that we can keep the spirit of elections and avoid interruptions and delays.

May Day—Class representatives for May Day must be members of their classes in full standing scholastically.

Marriage—Students marrying during the school year without notifying the administration of the college may be asked to withdraw from school.

"THOUGHT" PAGE

We come here to work—Each neglected task makes the next one harder.

In the eyes of the public, you represent Montreat College and its ideals whether on campus or off campus. Let's reflect no dircredit on these ideals.

It is **your** responsibility to keep the student lounge neat and clean.

Take a few minutes each morning to stop by the prayer room or Lakeside. You'll find that if you meet God early in the morning you will feel His presence with you all through the day.

Take time to cultivate friendships. In order to have a friend one must show himself friendly.

Many opportunities and joys await you here. Claim them . . . .

WHOM TO SEE FOR HELP

Emergency—Dean of Students, Miss Wilson.

Scholarships, Change or drop a course—Registrar, Miss McNeill.

Schedule meetings or social events, use of station wagons, room changes—Assistant Dean of Students, Miss Morris.

Academic program—Faculty Advisor.

Student Government—President of S.G.A., Mary Sullivan.

For "Troubles" not listed—Dean of Students, Miss Wilson.

COUNCIL 1958-1959

President ..... Martha Rose Miller
Vice-President ..... Martha Robinson
Secretary ..... Patty Gray
Treasurer ..... Patsy Oxner
President of Student Body ..... Mary Sullivan
President of Life Service Group ..... Virginia Tolley

GROUP LEADERS

Spiritual Life ..... Willie Bea Marshburn
World Missions ..... Lillian Buck
Church Extension ..... Frances Arrington
Enlistment and Training ..... Pat English
Christian Education ..... Noel Morse
Stewardship ..... Patsy Oxner
Music ..... Irene McKain
Art and Publicity ..... Jean Broske
Comradeship ..... Pat Shirah
Adult Advisor ..... Miss Zoulean Anderson

Dear New Montreater:

All of us on the Council, composed of the officers and group leaders of the Student Christian Association, want to welcome you to Montreat College. We are so happy that you have chosen Montreat as your college and we're looking forward to knowing you.

When you become a member of the student body at Montreat you also become a member of the S.C.A. This is the main Christian organization on campus.

The purpose of the S.C.A. is to promote growth in Christian faith and character. Through such activities as vespers, dorm prayer groups, "morning watch," and others, we try to promote this growth. You will soon be taking part in these activities and will find them a profound influence.

Montreat stands for strength, beauty, and truth. The S.C.A. strives to help promote these high standards within each student.

We, the Council, are elected to serve you and we hope that you will call on us whenever you need us.

See you in September!

Sincerely,

MARTHA ROSE MILLER, President
Student Christian Association.

MONTREAT STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be called the Montreat Student Christian Association.

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE

The Montreat Student Christian Association, affirming faith in God the Father, in Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour, and in the Holy Spirit, Revealer of Truth and Source of Power for life and service, according to the teaching of the Holy Scripture and the witness of the Church, declares its purpose to be:

1. To lead students to faith in God through Jesus Christ.
2. To lead them into membership and service in the Christian Church.
3. To promote their growth in Christian faith and character, especially through the study of the Bible.
4. To influence them to devote themselves in united effort with all Christians to making the will of Christ effective in human society and to extending the Kingdom of God through the world.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1.

Membership shall be divided into two classes: Associate members and members in whom is vested the right to vote and hold office.

Section 2.

Any member of the College institution may become an associate member of the Association.

Section 3.

In order to conserve the purpose of the Associa-

tion, the members in whom is vested the right to hold office must be members of a Christian Church, and thereby are already admitted to the fulfillment of the purpose of the organization.

Section 4.

Every member of the Association shall be expected to participate in the life and to share the direction of the Association, but only students shall be eligible to hold office.

ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS

Section 1.

The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer. They shall have the usual powers and duties pertaining to such offices. They shall be elected at a called meeting of the Association in the second semester and shall go into office the first Sunday in April. They shall work jointly with the old Council for two weeks after election, and shall in joint session outline the policies of the work for the coming year.

Seciton 2.

If any vacancy occurs in the list of officers it shall be filled at a special meeting of the Association called for that purpose.

Section 3.

The four officers with the chairmen of all groups; the President of the Life Service Group; and the President of the Student Body, ex-officio, shall constitute the Council of the Association and shall have general management of the Association.

ARTICLE V. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Section 1.

At a called meeting of the Montreat Christian Association, nominations for the incoming President shall be made by written ballot.

1. Nominees for President shall be members of the Senior Class.
2. The two students receiving the highest number of votes, if approved by the Advisors and Deans, shall be considered nominees.

Section 2.

The Montreat Student Christian Association at a later meeting shall vote by written ballot on the two nominees. The nominee receiving the majority of votes cast shall be declared President.

Section 3.

There shall be a nominating committee, appointed by the retiring President, of five members: Two members from the Council, two from the membership at large, and the Advisor. This committee shall present nominees for Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

ARTICLE VI. GROUPS

Section 1.

The President upon her election shall in conference with the other officers and the advisor appoint chairmen of such groups as are found necessary to direct the activities of the Association. They shall serve for one year. The President in consultation with the Council shall appoint associate chairmen and members of the groups and may with the Council at any time make such changes in the personnel of the groups as may be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS

Section 1.

Notice of proposed amendments to this constitution shall be given at a previous regular meeting and shall require for their adoption two-thirds affirmative vote of the members present, except this Article and Article II and Article III, Section 3, which may not be altered or repealed except by the

two-thirds vote of the Association for two consecutive years at its annual meeting.

ORGANIZATION AND ACTIVITIES

The Student Christian Association is made up of the entire student body of the College. The Council acts as an administrative body of the organization. The students are divided into the various groups and through these smaller divisions of the organization more efficient work can be done. These groups are divided at the beginning of the year and thus each person has an active part in the Student Christian Association.

Vesper services which are planned and carried out by the students are held each Sunday night. The aim is to have each girl participate in these programs. Sometimes we have outdoor programs, at other times candle-light services, and quite frequently missionaries and other guest speakers are secured.

Throughout the year the S.C.A. seeks to aid students in Christian living by wholesome recreation and fellowship.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF MONTREAT COLLEGE

BOARD OF 1958-1959

President ---------- Barbara Priest

Vice-President ---------- Jean Cleveland

Secretary ---------- Carol Ruff

Treasurer ---------- Joan Clark

Blue Representative---------- Sue Gibson

Gold Representative---------- Janet Crosby

Co-Hiker—Blue ---------- Jeannie Johnston

Co-Hiker—Gold ---------- Paula Cameron

Head of Soccer ----------Patsy Oxner

Head of Basketball---------- Evelyn Berryhill

Head of Volleyball ---------- Paula Wayne

Head of Softball----------Alice Alexander

Head of Individual Recreational Sports ---------- Terry McConnell

Head of Tennis---------- Mary Schenk

Publicity Manager---------- Frances McIntyre

Cheerleader ---------- Jan Sutton

Hi Montreaters:

The Montreat Athletic Association wishes to send each of you a great big W-E-L-C-O-M-E to Montreat College and the wonderful Christian fellowship that is the core of our work and play here together. We would also like to extend an invitation for each of you to join our program.

The Montreat Athletic Association has a wide variety of activities to offer including soccer, speedball, basketball, volleyball, softball, hiking, shuffleboard, badminton, horseshoes, tennis, deck tennis, ping pong, and self-testing stunts.

We want to stress in our program how to lose gracefully and win fairly, how to play well as a team or unit—not playing for our own individual gain. But the main thing is participating for the fun involved and the fact that we are getting to know more of our classmates.

We are looking forward to seeing you down on the soccer field in September. Let's begin the year right by getting to know each other by having fun together.

See you in September.

Sincerely,

BARBARA PRIEST, President

Montreat Athletic Association.

SPORTS

As you new Freshmen enter the doors of the dormitories, yells of "Yea Blue!", "Yea Gold!", will pound your ear drums.

Freshmen and Juniors constitute the Blue team and Sophomores and Seniors, the Gold team for 1958-'59.

We have intramural competition in both team sports and individual sports. Through continual participation in the afternoon sports program we learn to play, develop skill in play, and best of all make friends and have fun through play.

Just as autumn, winter and spring come, so do our seasonal team sports. First we play soccer and speedball, then basketball, volleyball and softball. The tougher the competition in these sports, the better we like it and the harder we play.

Our individual sports program provides opportunity for developing play in many well known recreational sports: horseshoes, shuffleboard, table tennis, deck tennis, tennis and badminton. There is always something new and exciting to learn and do! Learn to consult the Athletic Bulletin Board so you can see what's going on in sports for each day.

You'll want to get in the hiking club, too. The mountains that surround Montreat are gorgeous and the only way to know them is by hiking. So, be sure to bring your camera and hiking shoes.

Then the big day comes! Awards of numerals, letters and chevrons are made to those girls who prove themselves outstanding in sportsmanship and athletic ability. Also, the Cup is presented to the Blue or Gold team winning the most tournaments during the course of the year.

"For when the one Great Scorer comes
To write against your name,
He marks, not that you won or lost,
But how you played the game."

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF MONTREAT COLLEGE

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this association shall be the Athletic Association of Montreat College.

ARTICLE II

The purpose of this association shall be to promote a program of varied athletic and recreational activities. Through this program it endeavors to encourage participation by all its members, to create interest in the development of personal and team skills, to develop an appreciation for play and to further the highest standards of conduct.

ARTICLE III

All women students of Montreat College shall be eligible for membership in this association. Active membership shall be limited to those who have participated as players or officials in one or more of the activities of the association during the current or past semester. Only active members shall be entitled to vote.

ARTICLE IV

Officers, Executive Committee, and Athletic Board

Section 1. Officers. The officers of this association shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Section 2. Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers and the representatives.

Section 3. (a) The Athletic Board shall consist of the officers, the representatives, the head of the officers, the representatives, the head of each sport, the publicity manager, and the cheerleader.

(b) The president of the "M" club shall be an honorary member of the Athletic Board.

ARTICLE V
Elections

Section 1. President.

(a) The President shall be elected by a simple majority vote of the active members present at the meeting of the Athletic Association. To be eligible for the office of President one must be in good academic standing as a member of the rising Senior class with a scholarship record of at least a 2.0 average. She must also have served previously on the Athletic Board. An exception to the above qualifications may be made if deemed necessary by the Athletic Board.

(b) Vacancy in the Office of President. In the event of a vacancy in the office of President a special election shall be conducted.

Section 2. Vice-president, Secretary and Treasurer. These officers shall be elected by a simple majority vote of the members of the Athletic Board.

Section 3. The Representatives shall be elected by their own teams, the nominees being approved by the Executive Committee.

Section 4. Heads of Sports. The heads of sports shall be appointed by the newly-elected Executive Committee.

Section 5. Publicity Manager. The Publicity Manager shall be appointed by the newly-elected Executive Committee.

Section 6. Cheerleader. The Cheerleader shall be elected by a simple majority vote of the active members present at the meeting of the Athletic Association.

ARTICLE VI
Duties

Section 1. President. It shall be the duty of the President to call and preside over all meetings of the Athletic Association, Executive Committee, and Athletic Board. She shall appoint all committees and be an ex-officio member of the same, and perform all other duties incident to the office.

Section 2. Vice-president. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to perform the duties of the President in her absence and to serve as chairman of the program and recreational committees. In the event of a vacancy in the office of the President, she shall not automatically succeed the President in office.

Section 3. Secretary. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep a record of all the meetings of the Association, the Executive Committee, and the Athletic Board; to keep a record of the attendance at meetings of the Executive Committee and of the Athletic Board; to keep a record of the active members of the Association; to attend to all correspondence of the Association. It shall be her duty to serve as recorder of points.

Section 4. Treasurer. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to have charge of all funds of the Association, to be in charge of all sales, to keep a permanent record of all receipts and expenditures, and to pay out money belonging to the Association only upon the order of the President or faculty advisor.

Section 5. The Executive Committee. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to attend to the business of the Athletic Association and of the Athletic Board between the regular meetings. The Executive Committee will fill by appointment all vacancies of the Athletic Board, except the offices of President and representatives, that may arise between election periods.

Section 6. Athletic Board. It shall be the duty of the Athletic Board to have oversight of the business of the Athletic Association and to act in all matters pertaining to the interests of the Association.

ARTICLE VII

Meetings

Section 1. Athletic Association. A meeting of the Association may be called by the President at any time. A quorum must be present for the conducting of business.

Section 2. Athletic Board.

(a) There shall be a meeting of the Athletic Board scheduled monthly.

(b) There shall be called meetings of the Athletic Board whenever it is deemed necessary.

(c) A quorum must be present for the conducting of business.

ARTICLE VIII

Quorum

Section 1. Association. Two-thirds of the active members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

Section 2. Athletic Board. Two-thirds of the members of the Athletic Board shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX

Amendments

Amendments may be made to this constitution by a two-thirds majority vote of the members of the Athletic Board.

SUN DIAL STAFF

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Hi, Montreaters:

Words cannot express just how happy we are to know that you are coming to Montreat College. The warmest of welcomes is extended to you. It makes us even happier to know that you are not coming as a visitor, but you are coming to be one of us—we are all one in Christ.

The SUN DIAL staff wants to help you become a happy member of our Montreat family. We are here to help **you** so please feel free to call on us. You are also going to help us and we shall be calling on you. The 1958-59 annual, the SUN DIAL, will be edited to please you—and we sincerely hope it will.

Again let us add our welcome to the many others that you will receive. Also, we want to thank each of you for choosing Montreat College—a choice that will bring you numerous blessings.

See you in September.

Sincerely

JEAN MASH,

Editor—SUN DIAL.

THE SUN DIAL

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I
Organization

Section 1. Name.

The name of this organization shall be the Sun Dial Staff.

Section 2. Purpose.

The purpose of this organization shall be to edit and publish a yearbook which shall be called the Sun Dial.

ARTICLE II
Members and Duties

Section 1. Staff Members.

There shall be an executive staff consisting of an Editor, Assistant Editor, and Business Manager. Other staff members consist of an Advertising Manager and typist. Other members may be added to the staff when deemed necessary by the executive staff.

Section 2. Duties.

A. The Editor.

The chief executive shall be the Editor whose principal duty shall be to supervise the publication of the Sun Dial. She shall preside over all staff meetings, shall call special meetings of the Staff when deemed necessary, and shall represent this publication on the Cabinet of Student Government Association.

B. The Assistant Editor.

The duty of the Assistant Editor shall be to assist the Editor in the publication of the Sun Dial.

C. The Business Manager.

The duty of the Business Manager shall be to take charge of the financial records. She shall also act in the capacity of secretary at meetings of the Staff. She shall assist the Advertising Manager with her duties.

D. The Advertising Manager.

The duty of the Advertising Manager shall be to obtain advertisements for the Sun Dial.

E. Typist.

The duties of the typist shall be to assist the Editor in preparing copy for the Sun Dial and to work with the Advertising Manager and Business Manager in soliciting ads.

ARTICLE III

Elections

Section 1.

Before April first, the Editor shall appoint a nominating committee consisting of two members from the Sun Dial Staff, the sponsor, and one member from the student body at large, which shall choose nominees for Editor. A straw vote may be taken if deemed necessary by the nominating committee. The Editor shall be elected by a simple majority of the vote of the student body.

The Editor shall be a member of the Senior Class. She shall have in the last semester of the previous year and first semester of the year elected an average of 2.0. She shall have served on the Sun Dial Staff previously, but there may be an exception to this rule if deemed necessary by the nominating committee.

Nominees for Editor shall be notified prior to their presentation to the student body for election.

Section 2.

The Assistant Editor, the Business Manager, and the Advertising Manager shall be selected by the retiring executive staff and the new Editor.

Section 3.

The Editor, Assistant Editor, Business Manager, and Advertising Manager shall assume their duties upon installation. However, the retiring staff shall continue their duties in regard to the current Sun Dial.

ARTICLE IV

Meetings

Section 1.

Meetings of the Staff shall be held at stated intervals in accordance with the schedule of student activities. These meetings shall be held at a certain hour and place, as designated by the Editor.

Section 2.

Special meetings may be called by the Editor when deemed necessary.

Section 3.

Members shall be automatically dismissed from the Staff when more than two scheduled meetings are missed without reasonable excuse.

Section 4.

The executive staff shall attend to staff business between regular meetings.

ARTICLE V

The Constitution of the Sun Dial Staff shall be amended by a two thirds majority vote. Prospective amendments shall be presented to the Staff at the regular meeting previous to the one at which the vote shall be taken.

DIALETTE STAFF

1958-1959

Editor ---------- Joy Townes
Assistant Editor ---------- Noel Morse
Business Manager ---------- Ida Morris
Advertising Manager ---------- Pat English
Assistant Advertising Manager------Brenda Alter

Montreat, N. C.—The editor of a newspaper is usually on the receiving end when it comes to letters. Letters are much easier to receive than to write, but there is one drawback when they are addressed to the editor—the content and the author's intent are not always indicative of the most enjoyable experience in reading that one could have.

However, the purpose of this letter is not to burden you with the worries of running a newspaper, because we of the DIALETTE have found that the pleasures outnumber the worries every time. What we want to do is to welcome you to Montreat and to invite you to support this college publication. Some of you will want to join our staff. For this kind of support we are grateful, but we also need the support of faithful readers. Both mean a great deal to the livelihood of our paper. We want the DIALETTE to have a message for you. With your help it will.

The staff and I welcome you most cordially. Look us up in September. We are glad to have you with us.

JOY TOWNES,
Editor, DIALETTE.

THE DIALETTE CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

Organization

Section 1. Name.

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Section 2. Purpose.

The purpose of this organization shall be to edit and publish a student newspaper, which shall be called the Dialette.

ARTICLE II

Members and Duties

Section 1. Members.

The executive staff of the Dialette shall consist of the Editor, Assistant Editor, Business Manager, and Advertising Manager. Other members of the staff shall be selected as deemed necessary by the executive staff.

Section 2. Duties.

The chief duty of the Editor shall be to plan and edit the Dialette. She shall preside over all meetings of the Dialette Staff, and shall call special meetings when deemed necessary. She shall represent this publication on the Cabinet of Student Government Association.

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E. Other Staff Members.

The duties of other Staff members shall be to assist in the publication of the Dialette.

F. Resignations.

Any Staff Member who does not fulfill those duties assigned to her office will be asked to resign.

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The Editor shall be a member of the Senior or Junior class. She shall have in the first semester of the year elected an average of 2.0. She shall have served on the Dialette Staff previously, but there may be an exception to this rule if deemed necessary by the nominating committee.

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The Executive Staff shall assume their duties April first.

ARTICLE IV

(See Article IV of Constitution of Sun Dial)

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OTHER STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA

The Club is the student organization of the Business Education Department. Its purpose is to give to its members both "educational fun" and programs which awaken the students to real standards and activities in business life. Trips are taken to business centers; outside speakers are invited to address the club.

COLLEGIATE COUNCIL FOR THE UNITED NATIONS

The Collegiate Council for the United Nations is an intercollegiate organization formed for the purpose of stimulating an understanding on the campus of the aim, scope, and functions of the United Nations, and to give expression to student opinion on the United Nations through cooperation with state, regional, and national councils for the United Nations.

FRENCH CLUB

Being conscious of the fact that America, as a leading nation of the world, will need in the future many citizens who speak foreign languages, the members of the French Club believe that by studying French they can cultivate better understanding between our citizens and those of France. All who take French, who wish to improve their French conversation, or who are interested in France and the French people are welcomed as members.

THE HIKING CLUB

The Athletic Association conducts hikes almost every week day afternoon (weather permitting). All students are encouraged to participate in this hiking program. Those who do participate in these sponsored hiking activities to a degree equivalent to a-hike-a-week through all good weather of one semester, will be honored by being posted as members of the Hiking Club.

KAPPA PI BETA

Kappa Pi Beta is a literary club, membership to which is granted upon the presentation and approval of some original story, poem, or essay. The object of this organization is to encourage the appreciation of good literature and the development of creative work on the part of its members.

THE LIFE SERVICE GROUP

The Life Service Group is composed of students who are interested in Christian witnessing in their chosen field. This group feels a person may be a full-time Christian witness in any situation. Meetings are held on alternating Sunday nights at which time inspirational speakers are heard. Everyone is invited to be a member of this group.

LOS AMIGOS

Los Amigos, as its name implies, is an informal Spanish Club open to all students who speak and desire to speak Spanish more fluently. A deeper appreciation and understanding of the Latin American people and their culture is gained through the medium of Spanish plays, games, and native folk songs and dances.

M CLUB

The M Club is the honorary athletic organization on our campus. To become a member you must prove skillful in sports, show sportsmanship, good teamwork, and an active interest in the athletic program of the school. So come on girls, let's have a good time and become a proud wearer of the Montreat "M".

MONTREAT CHURCH CHOIR

All students who have pleasing voices and who are interested in participating in the worship service through music, are invited to join the choir. The first two Sundays of every month, the choir presents the special music in a near-by Veterans hospital. Two years of membership in the Church Choir are required of music majors and minors.

MONTREAT COLLEGE ACTIVITIES OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS

"The purpose of Red Cross Activities is to provide men and women students on college and university campuses with an opportunity to help plan and administer their volunteer activities in the community, national, and international Red Cross programs." The Montreat Red Cross group provides entertainment at regular intervals for the patients in a neighboring Veterans hospital.

MONTREAT COLLEGE SINGERS

Members of this group are chosen through auditions at the beginning of the fall term. In addition to concerts on campus, the Singers present concerts in churches, schools, radio and T.V. stations in surrounding areas. The highlight for the Singers, and of interest to the student body, is the annual extensive tour. Credit: one semester hour.

MUSIC CLUB

Organized in 1955 to promote a better understanding and greater appreciation of good music of all types, the Music Club is open to all students who are interested. Through lectures, discussion, and performances, the student has the opportunity of becoming familiar with the standard repertoire, including the works of contemporary composers.

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

This committee is composed of a chairman nominated by Cabinet and elected by the student body and two representatives from each class. The committee works with the Faculty Committee on Social Activities to plan parties and other social functions. The committee also sponsors coed weekends held during the year with neighboring colleges.

THE THALIANS

College students interested in acting and stage technique will be given an opportunity to join the Thalians. Through discussions of the history of the theater, and through presentation of various plays during the year, valuable experience and knowledge are given the student.

DEBATING SOCIETY

This is a new group organized with the purpose of promoting the fine art of argumentation and reasoning. During the year this group will present formal debates and will hear debates presented by visiting teams.

SNEA

The Montreat chapter of the **Student National Education Association** and the **North Carolina Future Teachers of America** provides opportunity for teachers in training to become acquainted with the history, ethics, and program of the organized teaching profession. Through its activities it encourages others to choose education as a career.

SCHOOL SONGS

ALMA MATER

(Tune: Believe Me If All Those Endearing
Young Charms. Words were composed
by Mrs. Lucille Belk Armistead.)

How dear to our hearts will the memory be
of the days we have spent in thy care,
When within thy dear halls we have lingered awhile
All thy gifts and thy blessings to share.
So the memory of thee will ever remain,
While we think of each dear hallowed scene;
And the bonds of true loyalty, blest through the years,
Our affections will ever keep green.

Then, to thee, Alma Mater, we'll ever be true,
Though the coming years scatter us far;
And the ideals you taught us will ever be bright
Shining out as our life's guiding star.
We will cherish thy name wherever we roam,
And forever thy praises repeat.
Hail to thee, Alma Mater, our happiest days
Are the days we have spent in Montreat.

MONTREAT GIRL

Now when a Montreat girl walks down the street,
She looks a hundred per from head to feet—
She has a word, a smile, a winning way, and
When you see her, boy, you'll recognize her and you'll say—
Now there's a girl I'd like to know,
She has that Montreat spirit, pep, and go,
And just to look at her is quite a treat,
It's hard to beat,
A MONTREAT GIRL!

MONTREAT

Montreat, we're always thinking of you,
Montreat,
We'll tell the world we love you.
Don't forget we're yelling for you.
We will play, and sing, and dance and everything
For Montreat.
You are our inspiration; days are never blue.
And after all is said and done,
There is really only one.
Oh Montreat College, it's you!

MAY DAY SONG

She comes, she comes, our radiant queen,
And joyfully we sing.
She spreads the hills and field with green,
Our lady of the spring.
Let all the universe rejoice,
Upon this gladsome day,
And spread the tidings with one voice,
'Tis May, May, May!
'Tis May, May, May!
Winter winds are far away,
All the earth is bright and gay.
And joyfully, again we say,
'Tis May, May, May!

BLUE AND GOLD

Blue and gold of old Montreat,
With love for you our hearts will beat—
A candle light shining where'ere we dwell,
To the friends that we all love so well—
We're thankful for skies of blue,
The breeze that whispers its love to you,
We hear their voices calling,
With love enthralling—
O DEAR MONTREAT!

COMMENCEMENT SONGS

PROCESSIONAL

The children of the King are we,
The children of the King;
His emblem bearers we would be,
And so his banner bring;
Its colors gleam all gloriously,
As forth its folds we fling;
The children of the King are we,
The children of our King.

O heed with us the happy call
To worship of our King.
Come join us in His temple all
Who hear His church bells ring;
Your souls shall feel His blessing fall,
And know His comforting;
O heed with us the happy call
To worship of our King.

The earth, it is His garden fair,
The garden of the King;
Where flowers and little children share
His love for everything;
The whole wide world lies in His care,
Beneath His brooding wing;
The earth, it is His garden fair,
The garden of the King.

Our lives are links of years and days,
Wherein to serve our King;
Like Him, to help in loving ways,
While homeward journeying;
Our lives, our lives, shall sing His praise.
As now our voices sing;
Our lives are links of years and days,
Wherein to serve our King.

(The music for this was composed by Mrs. Crosby Adams.)

RECESSIONAL

BRIGHTLY GLEAMS OUR BANNER

Brightly gleams our banner
Pointing to the sky,
Waving wand'rers onward
To their home on high.
Journeying o'er the desert
Gladly thus we pray;
And with hearts united
Take our heavenward way.

Jesus, Lord and Master,
At Thy sacred feet,
Here with hearts rejoicing
See Thy children meet;
Often we have left Thee
Often gone astray;
Keep us mighty Saviour,
In the narrow way.

All our days direct us
In the way we go,
Lead us on victorious
Over every foe;
Bid Thine angels shield us
When the storm clouds low'r,
Pardon, Lord, and save us
In the last dread hour.

Then with saints and angels
May we join above,
Off'ring pray'rs and praises
At Thy throne of love;
When the toil is over
Then come rest and peace,
Jesus in His beauty,
Songs that never cease.

Refrain: Brightly gleams our banner
Pointing to the sky,
Waving mortals onward,
To their home on high.